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SUBJECT:BEGIN VISIT TO ROMANIA - U.S. PRESS PLAY

1. YOU WILL BE RECEIVING BY USINFO TEXT OF AUGUST 25
MALCOLM BROWNE ARTICLE WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, REFERS
TO STATEMENTS BY "DIPLOMATS OF VARIOUS WESTERN COUNTRIES"
THAT THERE IS A "SEMICLANDESTINE TRADE BETWEEN THE SOVIET
BLOC ON THE ONE HAND AND WHITE-GOVERNED COUNTRIES IN AFRICA"
MANAGED "THROUGH ROMANIA AND ISRAEL." COMMODITY MENTIONED
IS CHROME ORE.

2. BROWNE ALSO REFERS TO "AN ELABORATE NETWORK OF ARRANGE-
MENTS LINKING TRADE AND FINANCE WITH JEWISH EMIGRATION."

3. SHORT COMPANION PIECE REFERS TO CEAUSESCU'S ATTEMPT TO
ARRANGE MEETING IN 1972 BETWEEN GOLDA MEIR AND AN ARAB
LEADER, REPORTEDLY SADAT OF EGYPT. ARTICLE NOTES THAT
BEGIN HAS RULED OUT ROMANIAN MEDIATION WITH EITHER ARABS
OR MOSCOW. CHRISTOPHER

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